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IN WILD TURMOIL

REPUBLICANS OF THIRD DISTRICT MET AT EXCELSIOR SPRINGS.

DOVE OF PEACE NOT THERE

Two Conventions in the Same Room at the Same Time Elected Two Sets of Delegates.

The Republicans of the Third congressional district held their convention at Excelsior Springs Thursday, and, as the following account of the proceedings show, had a rather strenuous time in selecting their delegates:

While Taft supporters looked on here this morning the Roosevelt delegation to the Third district Republican convention held a "rump" convention in an aisle, perfected temporary organization, elected two delegates to the national convention and then filed out of the building. The Taft men immediately perfected organization, elected a credentials and resolutions committee, and at a late hour adopted resolutions and elected the following delegates: Former Senator Henry L. Eads of Daviess county and Judge Henry L. Orton of Mercer county. Roosevelt men chose as their delegates A. M. Hyde of Mercer county and Frank B. Channel of Cameron. Asa Butler was chosen presidential elector.

Two o'clock was the time originally set for the meeting, but it was shortly after noon when the Taft men filed into the building for the purpose of naming delegates. The entire meeting was over by 1 o'clock.

Previous to the convention a poll showed four counties for Roosevelt, three for Taft and three contested. After the report of the congressional committee the vote stood 47 to 31 for Taft.

A number of telegrams are said to have been sent prominent Roosevelt workers this morning by Governor Hadley. What the messages contained would not be divulged.

The split came when it was announced that after an extended conference the congressional committee had voted to seat the Taft delegates from the three contested counties, Harrison, Mercer and Daviess. This, together with the fact that the congressional committee had refused to hold valid the deposing of W. A. Putnam of Mercer county and H. H. Pike of Harrison county as chairman of the township meetings, angered the Roosevelt men.

Standing in the aisle Asa W. Butler of Albany called the Roosevelt convention to order. For several minutes the Taft men were bewildered. Two of the delegates who had been seated deserted to the Roosevelt convention. The Taft men attempted to drag them back.

Both conventions elected temporary officers. E. T. Harris of Cameron presided over the Roosevelt convention. Samuel P. Davison of Bethany over the Taft convention. Then the Roosevelt men started another stampede. Shouts drowned out the motions made by the Taft men. The chairman became bewildered and stood gazing at the mob, unable to quiet them. "Liv" Morse of Excelsior Springs, acknowledged Taft boss of the Third district, sprang to the platform. "Go ahead," he shouted. "Keep it going. We can't let them beat us." And then, with both conventions in a riot, they attempted to go ahead with business. The police sent to the theater by Morse and W. E. Templeton, the postmaster, were unable to keep peace. The Roosevelt men, on the other hand, stood around their officers and voted upon the motions as they were put and carried. Resolutions endorsing Roosevelt for president were carried with a loud shout of acclamation.

Then the credentials committee reported and seated the Roosevelt delegates from Daviess and Mercer and Harrison counties. After choosing delegates and completing the business of the convention the Roosevelt men left the hall.

Morse waved the American flag and told of past success of the party.

He denounced the Roosevelt men for refusing to sit with the Taft men. His criticism of Roosevelt's position on the recall of judges was received with great shouts of acclamation by the Taft men. As soon as Morse sat down others sprang to their feet to denounce the Roosevelt delegation. Henry L. Eads, from the platform, heralded the Roosevelt delegation as thieves and robbers.

Over night the Morse machine had been busy. When the Roosevelt men went to the People's theater early this morning they found the doors barricaded by oaken planks. They were even nailed up inside and out. The building looked as if it were prepared for a siege. Only one small entrance remained, and at it stood three policemen. They refused everyone entrance. Several men armed with baseball bats stood inside to back up the police.

"You've got to have a ticket to get in here," a policeman said. The Roosevelt men protested and again demanded admittance.

"You don't get in here without a ticket," I said, the policeman replied. "Where do you get the tickets?"

"See Liv Morse, he's got them. He is saying who's going into this convention."

"But we're delegates and have a right in there," the Roosevelt spokesman said.

"Well, you'll have to see Liv," the officer replied.

A few newspaper men who had got by the door were herded out by the police and told to see Morse before they could stay in the hall, and so it went all morning. The Roosevelt men were fighting mad. They stood in the cold outside the door in crowds clamoring for entrance. Some discussed rushing the doors, but the vision of bats inside calmed them down.

"I put those police there to preserve order," Morse said. "We are not going to have a mob of Roosevelt men upset this convention."

When the tickets were passed out only the delegates placed on the temporary roll at the Taft caucus in Morse bath house yesterday were given the slip of paper that let them by the barricade. The contesting Roosevelt delegation from Daviess, Harrison and Mercer counties were barred out in the cold with the remainder of the Roosevelt men who had come to attend the convention.

"And this is a people's forum," Sam Clark of Carrollton, an editor, exclaimed as he was herded away from the convention.

The congressional committee met at 10 o'clock in Morse's bath house to ratify the program adopted by the Taft caucus yesterday. Morse, who was sitting on the proxy of his son, Wallace Morse, engineered the steam roller and it crushed everything before it.

C. S. Winslow of Bethany presented the case of the Roosevelt men. "I know the steam roller is prepared," he said. "I know you will ride rough shod over us. But, gentlemen, I tell you the day and hour of such crooked politics as is being practiced here is nearly over. If the Chicago convention doesn't repudiate your action the people will at the polls. Go ahead and do your worst. The day of reckoning will come at the polls."

At noon the congressional committee completed its job of running the steam roller over the Roosevelt supporters. Hardly had the Taft men taken their seats when the Roosevelt men rushed the doors and filled the rear of the hall. They outnumbered the Taft men nearly two to one, and then bedlam followed. On the platform Dr. Jackson Walker called the Taft convention to order.

TO DO AWAY WITH CUP.

Burlington to Discontinue Use of Drinking Cup, Comb and Brush at the Station.

W. E. Goforth, agent of the local Burlington station, has received word from headquarters to discontinue the use of the drinking cup, comb and brush in this station. This new order will be effective March 1.

A supply of paraffine cups will be kept on hand at the local station to supply those who desire a drink while at the station, and also to supply the demand from the train. These cups, which will sell for one cent each, are of a hard paper composition and will last for some time.

This order was made after the state decided to do away with the public drinking cup.

MORE INDICTMENTS

GRAND JURY RETURNED TWENTY-TWO TRUE BILLS.

WILL ADJOURN TONIGHT

Many Witnesses Examined and Much Care Taken in Drawing Up Indictments.

The grand jury made a report to Judge Ellison Friday, bringing in twenty-two true bills, mostly for violations of the local option law and for gaming. They were expected to have reported Thursday night, but the jury is evidently using great care and taking all necessary time in order that there shall be no defective indictments. They will finish their work and will adjourn late this afternoon.

It is not known who the indicted parties are, but the grand jury has examined witnesses from pretty much all over the county.

With the roads in the condition they are the sheriff and his deputies will have their hands full bringing in the indicted parties and witnesses.

The case of Bertha Royer et al. against Johnny M. Cooper et al., a suit in ejectment was on trial before Judge Ellison, who heard the evidence without the help of a jury. P. L. Growney and A. F. Harvey were the opposing attorneys. The taking of testimony was finished at 3 o'clock and court adjourned until Saturday morning, the judge reserving his decision.

Verdict for Defendant.

The jury in the case of Danner vs. Roush, which was tried before a jury of six men in the circuit court, brought in a verdict for the defendant Thursday afternoon.

DANGER OF PNEUMONIA NOW.

Some Interesting Advice Given by a Maryville Physician to Prevent Cold.

This is the season of greatest danger from pneumonia and bronchitis, physicians say. The danger now is much greater than in periods of extreme cold, because the snow is very wet and the temperature is hovering around the freezing point, which is the real health danger line.

It doesn't injure one to wade in the snow, the health authorities say, until shoes and clothing are wet, so long as one keeps moving and the blood circulates vigorously. The danger is later when the flow of blood ebbs—even though one may be in a warm room.

"It doesn't endanger a person's health to get his feet wet," said a leading local physician this morning, "but he must take care of himself afterwards or sickness will follow. When he goes into the house wet clothing should be changed for dry, warm garments. Especially should this rule be observed with regard to the feet. Dry stockings and shoes should be put on just as soon as a person stops exercising."

Attorney Arthur Miller of Kansas City is in Maryville on a business trip and is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. S. Miller, and sister, Mrs. F. P. Robinson. He will return to Kansas City this afternoon.

CHANGE AT LINVILLE

CLARK & CORDER SELL BIG HOTEL TO A. T. CLARK OF THE REAM

IT WILL BE REFURNISHED

New Furniture to Be Put in Wherever Needed—Clark Will Manage Linville and His Son the Ream.

A. T. Clark, proprietor of the Ream hotel, Thursday purchased the lease and furniture of the Linville hotel, and took possession Friday morning, March 1st.

The new owner of the Linville states that the hotel will undergo a general rejuvenation and refurnishing from top to bottom. The old furniture and carpets will be replaced with new wherever needed and the hotel made thoroughly up to date in its furnishings. The reading room, office and dining room will also receive extensive repairs.

A new chef from Winchester, Ky., will have charge of the kitchen, while Mr. Arthur Garten will retain his position as clerk under the new management.

The new owner, A. T. Clark, will personally manage the Linville, while his son, Orville Clark, will have the management of the Ream hotel.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

O. D. O. Bridge Club.

Mrs. Berney Harris entertained the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon at its regular meeting. Miss Esther Shoemaker made the highest score for the afternoon. A two-course luncheon was served following the games. Those present were Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Miss Della Grems, Miss Rena Sturm, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Clara Sturm, who took the place in the games of Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, and Mrs. Murrell L. Beattie, substitute for Miss Susie Ellison.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary last Saturday evening by entertaining the members of the M. M. M. club and their families at progressive dominoes at their home in Southwest Maryville. The host and hostess were presented a set of white and gold china plates. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sours, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nicholas and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. Garrett and children, Mrs. J. P. Frazee, Miss Rose Frazee, Miss Eva Farrar, Mr. Chester Frazee and Mr. Joe Farrar.

Surprise Party.

A real surprise occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser five miles west of Parnell, Sunday morning, when the neighbors and friends gathered, as a farewell to them, before they leave for their home in Maryville.

The friends were right into the yard before they were discovered, and Mrs. Fraser was so surprised all she could say was, "Why didn't you tell me?" or

THE EXPERT FARMER

WM. HIRTH PREDICTS HIS ADVENT IN A FEW YEARS.

WOULD MEAN BIG PROFIT

Says Manufacturing Concerns Employ Experts With Profit and That Farmers Should Adopt Method.

William R. Hirth, president of the Federation of Missouri Commercial clubs and publisher of two papers at Columbia, Mo., in an address at King City Wednesday night, outlined the benefits to be derived from a new adjunct to the farm in the nature of an expert adviser to the farmer, which Mr. Hirth thinks is sure to come in the course of a few years.

"It has been only a few years," he said, "since the so-called 'book farming' was a matter of derision in the average rural community. Now, however, this is no longer true. The farmer is seeing the light, and everywhere the agricultural colleges are leading the fight for improved methods in raising crops and handling and breeding live stock. In this connection I will make this prediction: That within less than five years groups of farmers all over the corn belt states will band together and hire an agricultural college expert and put him in charge of their farming operations in an advisory capacity."

"Why, for instance, should not a hundred farmers whose farms are located in close proximity to each other put up \$25 each and hire a high class scientific agricultural man who will put in the whole year going from one farm to the other advising each one of the hundred how to deal most intelligently and effectively with all their various farm problems? He would see to it that they selected the right kind of seed; that the seed beds for their various crops were properly prepared, advising them how to best adjust their methods of cultivation to the character of the season, etc. He would help the farmer plan a suitable crop rotation with the idea of building in the fertility of his soil as well as instruct him in the breeding and feeding of all kinds of live stock and other farm problems."

"That every one of the hundred farmers would get his \$25 back many times over during the year, there is not the slightest doubt. In the meantime, it would mean a salary of \$2,500 for the man so employed and lots of able agricultural college instructors are not getting this large a salary today. Once this common sense system gets a foothold the agricultural colleges will not be able to turn out men fast enough to fill the positions. It also opens a mighty interesting field of work for hundreds of bright, ambitious farmer boys whose practical experience would make them ideally suited for positions of this kind."

"Systems somewhat similar have been practiced in some of the old world nations. The manufacturer employs his highly paid chemists and other experts. Why should not the farmer adopt the same policy? The time is here when we must 'carry the message of better farming to Garcia'—when we must take the information which our agricultural colleges have gathered together through years of experimenting to the farmer's very door. It is one thing to try to convert him by means of bulletins—but a vastly more effective thing to have some competent man say to him face to face, 'Now let's do this thing this way and that thing that way.'"

Joins Son at Lippman Farm.

Mrs. Lizette Lippman and daughter, Miss Flora Lippman, are moving today to the Adolph Lippman farm, four miles southeast of Maryville, which their son and brother, Mr. Roy Lippman, has had charge of for over two years. The Lippman residence in town is occupied by Prof. E. L. Harrington, a member of the Normal faculty, and family.

County Examinations.

Superintendent W. M. Oakerson is conducting county examination at the Normal today. There are 120 teachers writing, ninety-eight of whom are from Nodaway county. The examination will be held in the Business college Saturday.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and slightly warmer; Saturday unsettled weather with rising temperature.

Special
Box papers, 48 sheets
writing paper and 48 envelopes, extra quality,
25c, for a few days only.
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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—4,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 500.
Hogs—35,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.45. Estimate tomorrow, 23,000.
Sheep—1,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—2,500. Market steady.
Hogs—6,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.35.
Sheep—3,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—3,000. Market steady.
Hogs—5,500. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.35.
Sheep—8,000. Market weak.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.
National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 29—Cattle receipts, 3,500. Activity of minus quantity today. Steers steady to 10c lower; cows and heifers 10 to 15c lower.

Hog receipts, 9,000. A general 10c decline featured today. We hit the top with a \$6.60 sale. Bulk of the good hogs, \$6.35 to \$6.55. Pigs irregular at a 10c to 25c decline.

Sheep receipts, 2,500. Steady prices ruled. Colorado lambs at \$6.70. No good westerns here. Best ewes at \$4.20.

ST. PATRICK'S MARKET.
The ladies of St. Patrick's church will hold a market Saturday at Hudson & Welch's hardware store. Proceeds go to benefit of St. Patrick's school.

Schildknecht's Hungarian orchestra
Monday night.

WAS A BRILLIANT GAME.

But Tarkio Defeated Normal Five by a Score of 53 to 30 Thursday Night.

With three regulars out of the lineup, Coach Moore's Normal basketball team played a brilliant game against Tarkio college at the Normal gymnasium last night in the last game of the locals' season. And sad, but nevertheless true, Normal lost. But it is certainly no disgrace to lose to a team like Tarkio, and the 53-30 score doesn't begin to indicate the closeness of the battle. In fact, the locals were in the lead for a short time. In the initial quarter they tied the score up at 26 all. Every man on the Normal squad played a stellar game, and although McGrew's opponent shot eleven field goals it was no discredit to Mac, for the Tarkio forward stood head and shoulders above our Irish guard. Daise, who played his first game for the green and white, lead in the scoring of points. He garnered seven goals from the field. Nixon played an excellent game at center for the locals, and held the famed Tarkio center to one lone field goal. The husky visitors out-weighted the teachers ten points to the man, but the home boys played the collegiate rules like veterans.

For Tarkio, their big forward, Russell Gowdy, was the main strength. That young giant scored eleven field goals, and instead of boosting the ball into the basket he was forced to bend over to drop it in. Kirk, at guard, also played a whirlwind game, scoring five field goals.

A good sized crowd witnessed the game and displayed more enthusiasm than at any game this season, thanks to the efforts of Mr. Eek, who led the yells. The line-up:

Tarkio—Gowdy and Baird, forwards; Peterson, center; Kirk and Osterstram, guards.
Normal—Vandersloot and Daise, forwards; Nixon, center; Taylor and McGrew, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Gowdy 11, Baird 4, Peterson, Kirk 5, Osterstram 2, Vandersloot 2, Daise 7, Nixon, Taylor, McGrew. Free throws, Gowdy 6, Baird, Vandersloot 4.

Referee, Elder, Tarkio. Umpire, Moore, Maryville.

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Monday night.

PLEASED WITH NEW FEATURE.

Concerts at Field-Lippman Store Arouse Much Interest and Draw Big Crowds.

Mr. W. A. Lippman, general manager and treasurer of the Field-Lippman company of St. Louis, arrived in Maryville this morning via the Wabash to inspect the local store. Under the new management of Mr. Hancock the local store has been making good strides. Mr. Lippman states the board of management of the company in St. Louis is very well pleased with the way in which Mr. Hancock has conducted affairs here. Mr. Hancock has started the operation of a new plan of advertising and selling player pianos and Victor talking machines. Concerts are given by Mr. Hancock and Mr. Walker in the hotels in various towns in Northwest Missouri, the people of the vicinity being invited by letter to attend the concerts. The plan has met with splendid success, and at Matland over seventy-five people attended the concerts, and many of them expressed a deep interest in the musical instruments shown.

This work advertises Maryville as well as the Field-Lippman company, and already this city is becoming known as the home of the liveliest music house in Northwest Missouri. What advertises Maryville benefits the whole town.

Last Saturday the Field-Lippman house as announced in the advertising columns of The Democrat-Forum, gave the first player piano and Victor concert to be held in its Maryville store. A splendid attendance was registered at this concert, and Mr. Lippman announces that the company intends to continue this plan of Saturday afternoon recitals, and later on it is the intention of the house to include Maryville in a plan of large scope along the same lines, at which time evening concerts will be given by concert artists of reputation from St. Louis and elsewhere. At these evening concerts the Kranich-Bach and Behning player pianos will be used, and the new Field-Lippman concert grand piano will be introduced. The plans for these concerts are now under way, and the entire chain of stores owned by the Field-Lippman house will be included.

From here Mr. Lippman intends to go to St. Joseph, where the house has plans for future development, and from there Mr. Lippman will go to St. Louis, his home. His stay in St. Louis will be short, however, as he leaves there Tuesday night for Florida to spend a week or two with his wife and children, who have been there for some time.

For Bride-Elect.
Mrs. Henry Wilson, colored, entertained a few friends Thursday afternoon at her home, on West Fifth street, in compliment to Miss Aldie Arnold, a bride-elect. Little Christina Johnson received the guests as they arrived, and Mrs. John T. Redmond and Mrs. Oliver Page served tea. Dominoes and lotto were played, the games being followed by a two-course luncheon. The guests, who were handsomely gowned, gave a miscellaneous shower of silver, linen and cut glass to Miss Arnold. Miss Savannah Smith of Kansas City was presented the bride-elect's bouquet.

ST. PATRICK'S MARKET.
The ladies of St. Patrick's church will hold a market Saturday at Hudson & Welch's hardware store. Proceeds go to benefit of St. Patrick's school.

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Taken to Hospital.

Mrs. J. P. Cummings left Friday noon for her home in Ottumwa, Ia., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Romasser. Mrs. Romasser, who has been ill for some time, was taken Wednesday to St. Francis hospital, where she will remain during her convalescence.

Son Appointed Administrator.
Osmond Mosby was appointed Friday administrator of the estate of his father Andrew Mosby, of Hopkins, who died February 16th. Mrs. Bertha Mosby, the widow, and Osmond Mosby, the son, were the only heirs. There was no will.

FOUND—Between Nodaway Valley bank and Alderman's, a bill. Owner may have same at this office. 1-4

Census Statistics.
The relative increase in population is not as great as it was a century or two ago for obvious reasons. According to records of 1816 the estimated population of the United States in 1810 was 7,000,000. Statisticians of that day figured that the population would double every 23 years, but such has not been the case. Had the increase fulfilled that prediction the country would have had a population of 112,000,000 ten years ago.

These pioneer statisticians of 1816 estimated that in 1880 the country should have a population of more than 56,000,000. The official census for that year, however, put the figures at 50,155,783. The estimate for 1902—112,000,000—was also far afield, the official census of two years earlier showing a population of only 76,303,000.

Great Cleverness.
"Would you call Bliggins a clever man?"

"Certainly," replied Miss Cayenne. "He is not intellectual, but he is wonderfully clever in concealing the fact from strangers."

MARKET SATURDAY
St. Patrick ladies will hold a market tomorrow at the Hudson & Welch hardware store.

Good things for your Sunday dinner.
Benefit St. Patrick's School

DEMENTED THROUGH WORRY.

Clyde Man in St. Joe to Meet Body of Brother on Train That Was Snowbound.

The St. Joseph Gazette had the following in its Friday issue:

After trying to rid himself of all his clothing at Fifth and Edmond streets, Samuel Allen, a farmer of Clyde, Mo., was arrested last night by Patrolman Boyle and a charge of drunkenness was placed against him at police headquarters. It is the opinion of the police that the man was partly demented as the result of loss of sleep.

It is said that Allen arrived in the city Sunday night, intending to meet a Great Western train on which was the body of a brother who had died of tuberculosis in New Mexico. It is said the train Allen was expecting to meet had been snowbound since Sunday night and only resumed its trip at a late hour last night. A telegram found in Allen's pocket at the police station stated that the body of Allen's brother would arrive tonight.

Union station employees say that Allen has been worrying a great deal over the fact that the train was delayed.

When he was discovered by Patrolman Boyle, Allen had his shoes, stockings and coat off, and was preparing to remove his trousers.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Only One More Regular Meeting for the Present Council—Bills Will Be Allowed.

The city council will meet in regular session tonight. No business of importance is scheduled to be taken up outside the routine work of allowing monthly bills, unless the ordinances reducing the salary of the mayor and consolidating the offices of collector and marshal are brought on.

A good deal of opposition to these measures developed at the meeting at which they were talked over, and it is likely they will be dropped. The present council will have one more regular meeting after this one, the 2nd of April.

Schildknecht's Hungarian orchestra
Monday night.

Called to Oklahoma City.

Mrs. L. Michau and daughter, Mrs. E. L. Townsend left Thursday afternoon for Oklahoma City, Okla., where they were called by the death of an infant son, born to their daughter and sister Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Jr., and Mr. Shoemaker, Thursday morning.

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New Trimmer Here.

Miss Theresa Goodwin of St. Louis will have charge of the millinery department at the Alderman Dry Goods Co. the coming season. Miss Monahan, also of St. Louis, arrived a few days ago and will be the head trimmer.

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Episcopal Church Services.

Services will be conducted at St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday by Bishop Sidney C. Partridge of Kansas City and Archdeacon Johnson, at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

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Longers Delay on Record.

Topeka, Mar. 1.—After over four days of continuous snow fighting the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroads have opened their main lines and by night the trains will be running fairly close to schedule. Since midnight Saturday both lines have been blocked completely and counting the hours they were closed, just five days, the longest period any Kansas railroad has ever had its main lines completely closed by snow.

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THIS CURED IN 3 TO 11 DAYS.
Your druggist will refund money if PLOZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

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Here From Chicago.

Edward B. McMillan, who is in the drug business at Chicago, spent Friday in Maryville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMillan of West Third street.

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ATTORNEYS HEAR BEVERIDGE

MAKES INTERESTING ADDRESS BEFORE BAR ASSOCIATION.

"Conflict of Constitution With Theory of Party Government" His Subject in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—Albert J. Beveridge, former United States Senator from Indiana, delivered an interesting address before the Kansas City Bar Association last night on the "Conflict of the Constitution with the Theory of Party Government."

The speaker stated that the question, as to whether it should be the party or the constitution, vexed all informed minds and must be answered, for out of this fight between our fundamental law and the necessity for political parties comes many of our practical troubles.

He further stated that compromises of the constitution have caused the American people nearly all their troubles, chief of which was the worst war in the history of the world, and that the present unrest among our people is due to the fact that our constitution makes party government practically impossible.

As a remedy for existing conditions, Mr. Beveridge suggested that certain men be publicly named by the president to represent the various branches of the administration in the House and Senate who would have charge in a definite way of all administration measures and be definitely responsible for all acts of the former senator further said that "the cited this method not as the best or even as a good way out of our governmental wilderness, but merely to stimulate thought and suggestion. For some way out of the dismal swamp of our present governmental condition must be found. The necessities of the people require it; and whatever the necessities of the people really require will be supplied. Nothing in human events is so certain as that."

"For the present nothing seems possible to lessen the conflict between the constitution and the theory of party government except for the citizen to vote for party men, but to see to it that such party men are fearless, able and pure public servants."

"At least one thing is clear, even now, both from the point of view of securing party government as such and protecting the people from the spoliation. That thing is for all men of all parties to make unceasing war against the political boss or politician-manager who manipulates and controls party organizations. For these men too often are merely the hirelings of those who gather unjust wealth by interfering with the people's laws."

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Cupid's Dream, Intermezzo..... Dabney
La Gazelle, Polka de Salon..... Wollenhaupt
Pink Lady—My Beautiful Lady..... Caryll
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Vic Murdock's Negro Story.

Representative Victor Murdock, a seeming past master of the negro dialect, despite the fact that he is not a southern colonel, but a middle western politician, told a negro yarn at the annual dinner of the Union League club the other night that brought forth storms of laughter.

"There was once an old negro preacher," he said, "who prepared his sermons most carefully. One of them he prepared with more than ordinary care, wrote it, committed it to memory; forgot it, and then relearned it. Finally came the time when he must deliver it. He solemnly rose in the pulpit, and stretching his arms outward, as if he would personally embrace every member of his audience—fat mammals and all—and said:

"Brethren an' sistern, I am about to delivah to yo' the greatest sermon of the ages. I am about to define the undefinable, explain the unexplainable, and unscrew the unscrewable!"

—Brooklyn Eagle.

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2. Dis hyeah lan' wuz built fer dark - ies.... it's plain.... fer to

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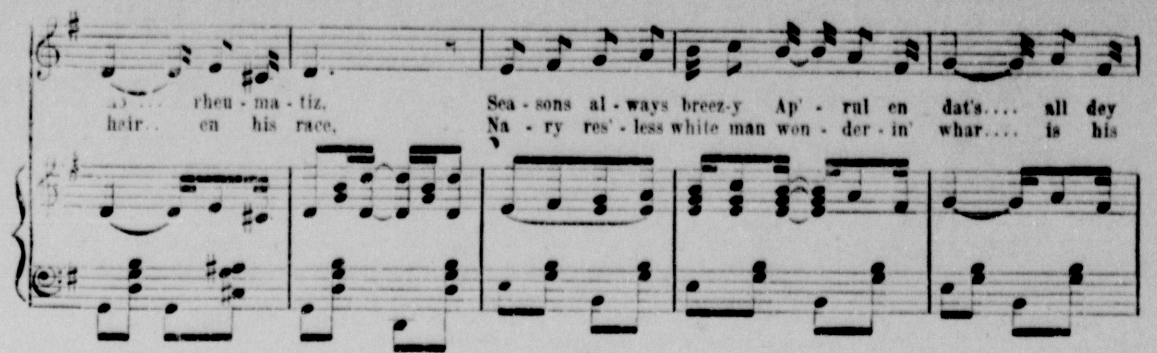
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er yer head, An' de pos - sum lafs fum de trees, Aint no fros' ner win - ter weath - er en
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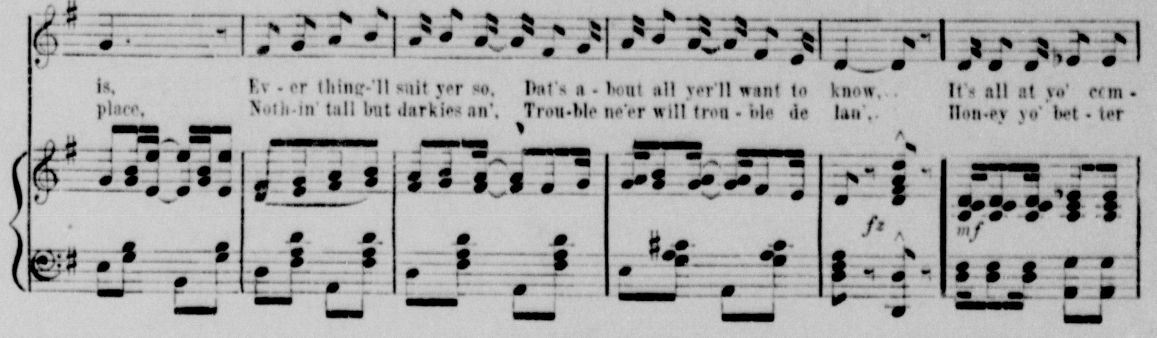
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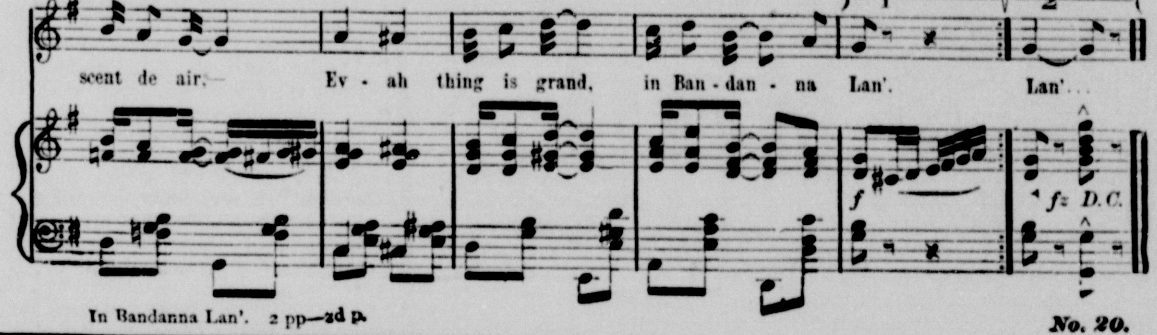
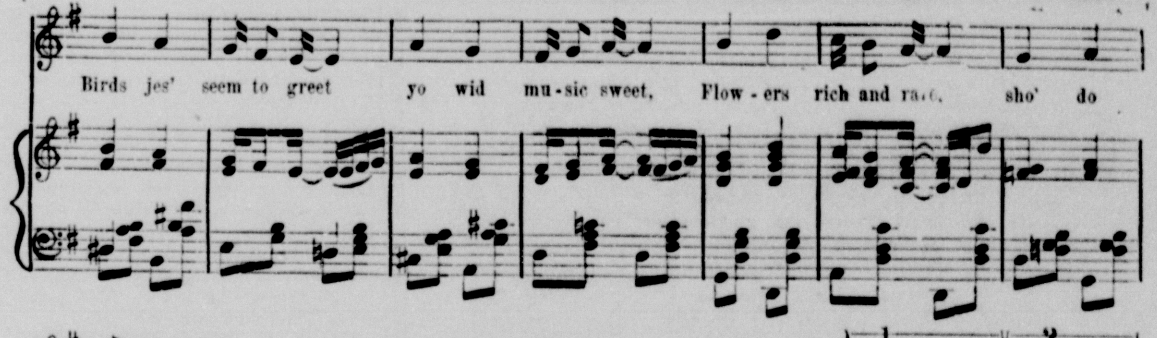
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In a few minutes you will feel your head clearing, and after using the Balm for a day or so the nasty discharge will be checked, the pain, soreness and fever gone, and you will no longer be offensive to yourself and your friends by constantly hawking, spitting and blowing.

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Distress after eating, sourness, gas and heartburn can be quickly relieved by taking one or two Mi-o-na stomach tablets.

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PLAN NORTH MISSOURI ROAD

MEETING AT BROOKFIELD TO BOOST STATE HIGHWAY.

Executive Committee and Officers Elected—Commercial Club Dines Visitors.

Brookfield, Mo., Mar. 1.—A meeting to boost the plan for a state highway across North Missouri from Hannibal to St. Joseph, 208 miles, through the counties of Marion, Monroe, Shelby, Macon, Linn, Livingston, Caldwell, DeKalb, Davis and Buchanan, was held here. About 150 delegates were present.

Curtis Hill, the state highway engineer, was present and made the chief address. There were several county engineers present, as well as county judges. The meeting was called by S. J. Roy, secretary of the Hannibal Commercial club, and Brookfield being about the halfway point across the state, the convention was called here.

Resolutions were adopted and an executive committee appointed with a member from each county. Officers were elected with Frank Adams of Chillicothe president; M. L. Stallard, St. Joseph, vice-president, and S. J. Roy, Hannibal, secretary-treasurer. Much enthusiasm was manifested over the proposed project. After the afternoon session a dinner was given in honor of the visitors at the Elliott hotel by the Commercial club, with C. W. Green, president of the club, presiding.

TWO WRECK INJURE SEVENTEEN

Three Cars Turn Turtle on Illinois Traction System—Every Passenger Injured.

St. Louis, Mar. 1.—Fourteen passengers were injured when a sleeper train of three cars on the Illinois Traction system was derailed and turned over in a ditch at Benld, Ill., 50 miles northeast of St. Louis.

A report from the company's division headquarters at Staunton, Ill., was that every passenger on the train, among them several women, were cut and bruised when the cars turned turtle.

Davenport, Ia., Mar. 1.—Three Pullman coaches of train No. 6 on the Rock Island left the track near Atkinson, Ill., early in the morning and tumbled over into a ditch.

The passengers crawled out through windows of the coaches and another passenger train, following, picked them up and took them to Chicago.

Schlickert's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

JOHN BARRETT.



The director general of the Pan-American union warned the business men of New England that they must take actual steps to prepare for the opening of the Panama canal to traffic or they would suffer disappointment and loss.

PIMPLES AND BLACK-HEADS DISAPPEAR

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For 25c you can test the healing and cleansing powers of Zemo and Zemo Soap. We offer a trial treatment consisting of a generous size bottle of Zemo, a trial cake of Zemo Soap and a 32-page booklet, "How to Preserve the Skin"—all for 25c. This offer is made to introduce Zemo into every home in this community. We are confident that after you have once used Zemo and Zemo Soap you, like all others who have tested this treatment, will say that Zemo and Zemo Soap are without doubt the best treatment for prompt relief and surest cure of all forms of skin and scalp diseases. Blisters, Pimples, Skin Spots, in fact, all facial blemishes on infants or adults disappear as if by magic when these clean, effective remedies are used. We want you to test the trial treatment of Zemo at 25c—we know you'll thank us many times for this advice. Love & Gaugh's drug store.

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A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back the Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea" which our grandparents used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur at once and see what a difference a few days' treatment will make in your hair. This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

Ditch to Be Filled.

A movement is on foot to tile and fill in the big ditch running through the center of Hopkins, says the Journal. It is proposed to begin the work just west of Grandma Martin's residence and run to the Alf Owens residence in North Hopkins.

A meeting of the property owners touched by the ditch and the city dads will be held soon to talk the matter over. It means considerable expense as tile not less than five feet across must be used, to say nothing of the cost of putting in the dirt. One property owner says he has a hundred dollars to contribute if the work is done. It would help the appearance of the town wonderfully and the city will likely decide to contribute its share to pay for the work.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

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Big Closing Out Sale

Consisting of brood mares and work horses, brood sows and stock hogs, milch cows, farm implements, oats, corn and straw.

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SOLDIERS SET FIRE TO PEKIN

Chinese Troops Mutiny and Are Beyond Control.

OTHER NATIONS MAY INTERVENE

German and American Soldiers Seize Pagodas to Help Protect Their Quarters—Foreigners Safe So Far.

Pekin, Mar. 1.—This city is now in grave peril. The soldiers are out of hand and the authorities have lost all control.

Great fires are burning in all directions and the greater part of the Tartar City has been destroyed. All foreigners are safe in the legation compounds.

For some unknown reason, probably, however, because they had not been paid, the soldiers mutinied and started fighting at 8 o'clock p. m. That was followed by rioting and looting and then the torch was applied. Fires broke out in all directions and soon the Tartar City was a mass of flames. The occupation of Pekin by international forces is believed necessary.

Many Are Killed.

Many persons were killed, but all the foreigners got out of danger in time. The legation guards gallantly sallied out into the disturbed zone and rescued all foreigners residing there. These were brought in to the legation compounds. The American legation first learned of the outbreak when a spent 3-inch shell fell within the yard of the compound. Later on a rifle bullet struck the wall right above where Minister Calhoun was standing.

There has been great devastation all through the capital, but it is impossible to obtain any details, as no foreigners dare venture outside the legations. Much foreign property has been burned and fires are still raging in all directions. The firing, however, has practically stopped.

One report has it that the troops attacked President Yuan Shi Kai. The soldiers also attacked the rebel delegates from Nankin. Nothing is known as to what happened to them.

Grave Crisis.

The situation brings on a grave crisis and perhaps signifies the failure of the new government. The authorities are absolutely powerless.

Foreign re-enforcements are on the way to assist those already at the legations which are safe for the present.

The mutineers are now leaving the city with their horses laden with plunder. The day was an orgy of violence. The soldiers armed with rifles and bayonets started by burning their barracks. They then ransacked the shops.

Territory of more than a mile in area has been burned.

Much reckless shooting has occurred. One shell, which fell into the compound of the American legation, tore through the tent of one of the soldiers of the recently arrived re-enforcement.

Americans Exposed.

The American is the most exposed legation, lying outside the main quadrangle of the quarter. The American end of Legation street is the only uninclosed section.

The American minister, Mr. Calhoun, and Maj. Russell at a late hour consulted with the American missions by telephone. All expressed their preference not to leave their own compound.

American soldiers have taken possession of the Chien-Men pagoda and Germans have occupied the Hatz Men pagoda without opposition from the Chinese soldiers. These pagodas overlook the legations and their possession was considered strategically necessary.

PRISONERS MUTINY AT MONTEREY

Three Thousand Men Confined in Institution—Thirty Six were Killed.

Laredo, Tex., Mar. 1.—Eleven persons, six of them convicts, were killed in the revolt in the penitentiary at Monterey, Mexico, according to incoming passengers. These passengers said that 25 other convicts regarded as ringleaders, were shot at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

There were about 3,000 prisoners in the institution. Early reports said the warden of the penitentiary was among the slain.

Miles of Good Roads.

Abilene, Kan., Mar. 1.—One hundred miles of country roads, serving all parts of Dickinson county, were ordered by the county commissioners and township trustees at a largely attended good roads meeting here. The state highway engineer, W. S. Gearhart, made an address. Plans for improvement of the roads will be prepared by engineers.

Lost Man Returns.

Muskogee, Ok., Mar. 1.—W. D. Case, a contractor living here, who mysteriously disappeared last August, has just returned. He states that his mind has been a blank ever since he left Muskogee, and that when he came to himself he was sitting on a wharf in New Orleans.

AMERICAN MINERS MAY STRIKE NEXT

Situation in England Expected to Influence Men in Iowa Field.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT HELPING

Premier Asquith Issues Ultimatum to Mine Owners—Situation is Serious—Some Are Already Weakening.

London, Mar. 1.—The settlement of the coal strike is yet afar off. The government has not been able to induce all the coal owners to agree to the demand for a minimum wage made by the miners, but Premier Asquith has declared that:

"The government having recognized the principle of a minimum wage for all underground workers, if it is not secured by agreement, it will be secured by the government by other means." This is virtually an ultimatum to the coal owners.

Already 800,000 Are Out.

Emphasizing the point again, Asquith said the government is determined that the minimum wage shall become part and parcel of the organization and working of the coal industry by whatever appropriate means the government can command.

Fully 800,000 miners have already laid down their tools. The men have the government behind them and feel that victory has been won.

Some of the railways have sent out notifications of curtailment of their services owing to the strike.

Some Are Weakening.

The government feels it is face to face with a warfare between capital and labor in the coal industry, which might paralyze all other industries in the country. The government had started investigation of the problem, the premier said in the conference, without any prejudice of party or class bias.

That the government made some progress toward rendering the strike of short duration is shown by the fact, disclosed by the official statement, that the Northumberland coal owners, who were among those who rejected the government's proposals, have been persuaded to agree to the first two clauses of these proposals.

Expect Trouble in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Mar. 1.—The walk-out of English miners is expected to be followed shortly by a strike of several hundred thousand American miners, including the 20,000 men employed in the Iowa field, according to Thomas Ray, president of an Iowa mining company. The wage scale agreement expiring April 1 will be taken up at the meeting of the miners of Iowa March 14.

"We expect the greatest strike we have ever had in the coal fields," Ray said. "It looks as though the miners will be a unit in walking out on the expiration of their agreement, and we are looking for a prolonged suspension of work in the Iowa fields."

Springfield Has \$50,000 Fire.

Springfield, Mo., Mar. 1.—The stocks of two of Springfield's largest dry goods stores were damaged to the extent of \$50,000 by fire which broke out on the third floor of the Fashion store. The flames spread to the Model store adjoining, causing a loss there of \$35,000. The Fashion, owned by Charles M. Levy, has been open for business only two weeks. The Model store is owned by Moses Levy.

Dawson's Primary Plan.

Topeka, Mar. 1.—John Dawson, attorney general, has sent to J. N. Dolley, chairman of the Republican state central committee, a draft of a new proposed presidential primary plan. Mr. Dawson would have primaries in every precinct in the state and the voters would select the delegates to the county conventions and express their choice for president only.

SUGAR SUBSTITUTE IS BARRED

Decision of Board of Cabinet Officers Prohibits Use of Saccharine in Food Products.

Washington, Mar. 1.—By a vote of two to one the board of cabinet officers charged with the enforcement of the pure food law entered a final decision against the use of saccharine in prepared foods. Secretary Wilson and Secretary Nagel confirmed the decision that food containing saccharine was adulterated. Secretary MacVeagh dissented. One month will be given manufacturers to arrange for the elimination of saccharine.

Sample Pills Dangerous.

Newton, Kan., Mar. 1.—Several children in Newton were made very ill recently by eating sample pills or tablets thrown on porches and in the yards by a patent medicine firm. The city commissioners have passed an ordinance prohibiting the free distribution of samples of drugs, medicines or any article intended for food that might be eaten or swallowed and thereby causing sickness.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

HELPFUL HINTS ON HAIR HEALTH.

Scalp and Hair Troubles Generally Caused by Carelessness.

Dandruff is a contagious disease caused by a microbe which also produces baldness. Never use a comb or brush belonging to some one else. No matter how cleanly the owner may be, these articles may be infected with microbes, which will infect your scalp. It is far easier to catch hair microbes than it is to get rid of them, and a single stroke of an infected comb or brush may well lead to baldness. Never try on anybody else's hat. Many a hat-band is a resting place for microbes.

If you happen to be troubled with dandruff, itching scalp, falling hair or baldness, we have a remedy which we believe will completely relieve these troubles. We are so sure of this that we offer it to you with the understanding that it will cost you nothing for the trial if it does not produce the results we claim. This remedy is called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. We honestly believe it to be the most scientific remedy for scalp and hair troubles, and we know of nothing else that equals it for effectiveness, because of the results it has produced in thousands of cases.

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Miss Nora Neal and Miss Mary LeGrand, students at the Normal, returned to their homes, near Pickering, Thursday to spend several days.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Maryville Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A lame, weak or aching one, Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures.

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It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

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Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Read this case:

A. W. Hawkins, 42 West Ninth street, Maryville, Mo., says: "Some years ago I had a weak, sore and aching back, and I used Doan's Kidney Pills. This remedy gave me so much relief that I have not been obliged to take a kidney medicine since. Doan's Kidney Pills have my highest endorsement."

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Frank Ulmer of Maryville is moving to the Thomas Grant farm, eight miles east of town, where he will farm the coming season.

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Parisian Sage is a splendid hair dressing; it is so daintily perfumed and refreshing that it makes the scalp feel fine the minute you apply it. It is used daily by thousands of clever women who realize that Parisian Sage keeps their hair lustrous and fascinating. If you have hair troubles get Parisian Sage today at the Koch Pharmacy and druggists everywhere. Large bottle 50 cents.

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IN WILD TURMOIL

REPUBLICANS OF THIRD DISTRICT MET AT EXCELSIOR SPRINGS.

DOVE OF PEACE NOT THERE

Two Conventions in the Same Room at the Same Time Elected Two Sets of Delegates.

The Republicans of the Third congressional district held their convention at Excelsior Springs Thursday, and, as the following account of the proceedings show, had a rather strenuous time in selecting their delegates:

While Taft supporters looked on here this morning the Roosevelt delegation to the Third district Republican convention held a "rump" convention in an aisle, perfected temporary organization, elected two delegates to the national convention and then filed out of the building. The Taft men immediately perfected organization, elected a credentials and resolutions committee, and at a late hour adopted resolutions and elected the following delegates: Former Senator Henry L. Eads of Daviess county and Judge Henry L. Orton of Mercer county. Roosevelt men chose as their delegates A. M. Hyde of Mercer county and Frank B. Channel of Cameron. Asa Butler was chosen presidential elector.

Two o'clock was the time originally set for the meeting, but it was shortly after noon when the Taft men filed into the building for the purpose of naming delegates. The entire meeting was over by 1 o'clock.

Previous to the convention a poll showed four counties for Roosevelt, three for Taft and three contested. After the report of the congressional committee the vote stood 47 to 31 for Taft.

A number of telegrams are said to have been sent prominent Roosevelt workers this morning by Governor Hadley. What the messages contained would not be divulged.

The split came when it was announced that after an extended conference the congressional committee had voted to seat the Taft delegates from the three contested counties, Harrison, Mercer and Daviess. This, together with the fact that the congressional committee had refused to hold valid the deposing of W. A. Putnam of Mercer county and H. H. Pike of Harrison county as chairman of the township meetings, angered the Roosevelt men.

Standing in the aisle Asa W. Butler of Albany called the Roosevelt convention to order. For several minutes the Taft men were bewildered. Two of the delegates who had been seated deserted to the Roosevelt convention. The Taft men attempted to drag them back.

Both conventions elected temporary officers. E. T. Harris of Cameron presided over the Roosevelt convention. Samuel P. Davison of Bethany over the Taft convention. Then the Roosevelt men started another stampede. Shouts drowned out the motions made by the Taft men. The chairman became bewildered and stood gazing at the mob, unable to quiet them. "Liv" Morse of Excelsior Springs, acknowledged Taft boss of the Third district, sprang to the platform. "Go ahead," he shouted. "Keep it going. We can't let them beat us." And then, with both conventions in a riot, they attempted to go ahead with business. The police sent to the theater by Morse and W. E. Templeton, the postmaster, were unable to keep peace. The Roosevelt men, on the other hand, stood around their officers and voted upon the motions as they were put and carried. Resolutions endorsing Roosevelt for president were carried with a loud shout of acclamation.

Then the credentials committee reported and seated the Roosevelt delegates from Daviess and Mercer and Harrison counties. After choosing delegates and completing the business of the convention the Roosevelt men left the hall.

Morse waved the American flag and told of past success of the party.

He denounced the Roosevelt men for refusing to sit with the Taft men. His criticism of Roosevelt's position on the recall of judges was received with great shouts of acclamation by the Taft men. As soon as Morse sat down others sprang to their feet to denounce the Roosevelt delegation. Henry L. Eads, from the platform, heralded the Roosevelt delegation as thieves and robbers.

Over night the Morse machine had been busy. When the Roosevelt men went to the People's theater early this morning they found the doors barred by oaken planks. They were even nailed up inside and out. The building looked as if it were prepared for a siege. Only one small entrance remained, and at it stood three policemen. They refused everyone entrance. Several men armed with baseball bats stood inside to back up the police.

"You've got to have a ticket to get in here," a policeman said. The Roosevelt men protested and again demanded admittance.

"You don't get in here without a ticket, I said," the policeman replied. "Where do you get the tickets?"

"See Liv Morse, he's got them. He is saying who's going into this convention."

"But we're delegates and have a right in there," the Roosevelt spokesman said.

"Well, you'll have to see Liv," the officer replied.

A few newspaper men who had got by the door were herded out by the police and told to see Morse before they could stay in the hall, and so it went all morning. The Roosevelt men were fighting mad. They stood in the cold outside the door in crowds clamoring for entrance. Some discussed rushing the doors, but the vision of bats inside calmed them down.

"I put those police there to preserve order," Morse said. "We are not going to have a mob of Roosevelt men upset this convention."

When the tickets were passed out only the delegates placed on the temporary roll at the Taft caucus in Morse bath house yesterday were given the slip of paper that let them by the barricade. The contesting Roosevelt delegation from Daviess, Harrison and Mercer counties were barred out in the cold with the remainder of the Roosevelt men who had come to attend the convention.

"And this is a people's forum," Sam Clark of Carrollton, an editor, exclaimed as he was herded away from the convention.

The congressional committee met at 10 o'clock in Morse's bath house to ratify the program adopted by the Taft caucus yesterday. Morse, who was sitting on the proxy of his son, Wallace Morse, engineered the steam roller and it crushed everything before it.

C. S. Winslow of Bethany presented the case of the Roosevelt men. "I know the steam roller is prepared," he said. "I know you will ride rough shod over us. But, gentlemen, I tell you the day and hour of such crooked politics as is being practiced here is nearly over. If the Chicago convention doesn't repudiate your action the people will at the polls. Go ahead and do your worst. The day of reckoning will come at the polls."

At noon the congressional committee completed its job of running the steam roller over the Roosevelt supporters. Hardly had the Taft men taken their seats when the Roosevelt men rushed the doors and filled the rear of the hall. They outnumbered the Taft men nearly two to one, and then bedlam followed. On the platform Dr. Jackson Walker called the Taft convention to order.

MORE INDICTMENTS

GRAND JURY RETURNED TWENTY-TWO TRUE BILLS.

WILL ADJOURN TONIGHT

Many Witnesses Examined and Much Care Taken in Drawing Up Indictments.

The grand jury made a report to Judge Ellison Friday, bringing in twenty-two true bills, mostly for violations of the local option law and for gaming. They were expected to have reported Thursday night, but the jury is evidently using great care and taking all necessary time in order that there shall be no defective indictments. They will finish their work and will adjourn late this afternoon.

It is not known who the indicted parties are, but the grand jury has examined witnesses from pretty much all over the county.

With the roads in the condition they are the sheriff and his deputies will have their hands full bringing in the indicted parties and witnesses.

The case of Bertha Royer et al. against Johnny M. Cooper et al., a suit in ejectment was on trial before Judge Ellison, who heard the evidence without the help of a jury. P. L. Gowney and A. F. Harvey were the opposing attorneys. The taking of testimony was finished at 3 o'clock and court adjourned until Saturday morning, the judge reserving his decision.

Verdict for Defendant.

The jury in the case of Danner vs. Roush, which was tried before a jury of six men in the circuit court, brought in a verdict for the defendant Thursday afternoon.

DANGER OF PNEUMONIA NOW.

Some Interesting Advice Given by a Maryville Physician to Prevent Cold.

This is the season of greatest danger from pneumonia and bronchitis, physicians say. The danger now is much greater than in periods of extreme cold, because the snow is very wet and the temperature is hovering around the freezing point, which is the real health danger line.

It doesn't injure one to wade in the snow, the health authorities say, until shoes and clothing are wet, so long as one keeps moving and the blood circulates vigorously. The danger is later when the flow of blood ebbs—even though one may be in a warm room.

"It doesn't endanger a person's health to get his feet wet," said a leading local physician this morning, "but he must take care of himself afterwards or sickness will follow. When he goes into the house wet clothing should be changed for dry, warm garments. Especially should this rule be observed with regard to the feet. Dry stockings and shoes should be put on just as soon as a person stops exercising."

Attorney Arthur Miller of Kansas City is in Maryville on a business trip and is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. S. Miller, and sister, Mrs. F. P. Robinson. He will return to Kansas City this afternoon.

CHANGE AT LINVILLE

CLARK & CORDER SELL BIG HOTEL TO A. T. CLARK OF THE REAM

IT WILL BE REFURNISHED

New Furniture to Be Put in Wherever Needed—Clark Will Manage Linville and His Son the Ream.

A. T. Clark, proprietor of the Ream hotel, Thursday purchased the lease and furniture of the Linville hotel, and took possession Friday morning, March 1st.

The new owner of the Linville states that the hotel will undergo a general rejuvenation and refurnishing from top to bottom. The old furniture and carpets will be replaced with new wherever needed and the hotel made thoroughly up to date in its furnishings. The reading room, office and dining room will also receive extensive repairs.

A new chef from Winchester, Ky., will have charge of the kitchen, while Mr. Arthur Garten will retain his position as clerk under the new management.

The new owner, A. T. Clark, will personally manage the Linville, while his son, Orville Clark, will have the management of the Ream hotel.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

O. D. O. Bridge Club.

Mrs. Berney Harris entertained the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon at its regular meeting. Miss Esther Shoemaker made the highest score for the afternoon. A two-course luncheon was served following the games. Those present were Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Miss Della Grems, Miss Rena Sturm, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Clara Sturm, who took the place in the games of Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, and Mrs. Murrell L. Beattie, substitute for Miss Susie Ellison.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary last Saturday evening by entertaining the members of the M. M. M. club and their families at progressive dominoes at their home in Southwest Maryville. The host and hostess were presented a set of white and gold china plates. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sours, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nicholas and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. Garrett and children, Mrs. J. P. Frazee, Miss Rose Frazee, Miss Eva Farrar, Mr. Chester Frazee and Mr. Joe Farrar.

Surprise Party.

A real surprise occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser, five miles west of Parnell, Sunday morning, when the neighbors and friends gathered, as a farewell to them, before they leave for their home in Maryville.

The friends were right into the yard before they were discovered, and Mrs. Fraser was so surprised all she could say was, "Why didn't you tell me?" or

"What shall I do?" and it took some time before she was herself, and Mr. Fraser could not say a thing, so you know that meant something.

All brought well filled baskets, and soon a feast was spread. The table was centered with a huge bunch of lilies, the gift of Mrs. Olin Krugh.

After dinner the company indulged in conversation and music until home-going time, when all departed with best wishes, after having presented Mrs. Fraser with a granite shower.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Krugh, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Barton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John Grubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Young, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Krugh, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodburn, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser, Mrs. Charles Hilsabeck, Mrs. Guy Hilsabeck, Misses Gladys and Blanche Alexander, Pansy and Opal Hilsabeck, Daisy, Orpha and Bertha O'Banion, Viola Krugh, Cecile and Mabel Fraser, Messrs. Clifford Barton, Charles O'Banion, Glen Rolla Krugh, Donald Fraser, LaVelle Hilsabeck.

Entertained Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson entertained the members of the First Christian church choir, of which Mrs. Robinson is a member, Thursday night at their home, on West Third street. In a game of hearts, played during the early part of the evening, Mrs. Alpha Bishop won the prize. This was followed by a drawing contest of popular songs, Mr. F. L. Flynt being the successful contestant. Mrs. J. D. Richey was awarded the favor in the "musical love story" contest. Miss Mildred Robinson, daughter of the host and hostess, favored the guests with several vocal and instrumental selections. Refreshments in red and white were served, the tables being lighted by candles in crystal holders, with red shades. Mr. H. J. Becker was on this occasion presented a garnet carbuncle ring as a token of appreciation of his work as director of the choir. The presentation speech was made by Mr. W. E. Goforth, who also acted as toastmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson were assisted during the evening by their daughters, Misses Mildred and Virginia Robinson, and Mrs. W. E. Goforth. The guest list included Mrs. H. D. Anderson, Mrs. Alpha Bishop, Mrs. Verna Murphy, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Miss Lillie Gates, Miss Nellie Douglas, Miss Lola Goforth, Miss Emma Yount, Miss Blanche Shipps, Miss Emma Shroyer, Miss Elsie Gibson, Miss Bertha White, Miss Ola Smith, Miss Hermione Fisher, Miss Litta Roelofson, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Myrl Oberlander, Miss Phyllis Sawyer, Miss Pearl Daniels, Mr. H. J. Becker, Dr. D. J. Thomas, Mr. Ernest Yeaman, Mr. Frank Owens, Mr. W. E. Goforth, Mr. Theodore Boyer, Mr. J. F. Hart, Mr. W. H. Charlton, Mr. J. B. Ellis, Mr. W. D. Porter, Mr. John Gates, Mr. F. L. Flynt, Mr. Harry Lyle, Mr. Lawrence Frazee, Mr. Otto Frazee, Mr. John Mann, Mr. Howard Snodgrass and Mr. Ed Gray of the choir; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Bell, Mrs. W. E. Goforth, Mrs. Frank Owens and Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

RATES HAVE BEEN REVISED.

C. G. W. and Wabash Now Meet Burlington Rates to Des Moines and St. Joseph.

Thomas Judd of Des Moines, Ia., district passenger agent of the C. G. W. R. R., was in the city Friday looking after the interests of his road and renewing acquaintances with friends. Mr. Judd states that the Wabash and Chicago Great Western are now making the same rate to Des Moines, Kansas City and St. Joseph as the Burlington, and expect an increased passenger traffic from here as a result.

Ladies' Band to Bedford.

Mrs. A. D. Anderson of Elmo arrived Friday morning and will accompany the Missouri Ladies' Military band, of which she is a member, to Bedford, Ia., Saturday noon. Miss Alma Nash, directress, and the band will give a concert at the Clark theater in Bedford Saturday night.

Guests at Keene Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Donovan and Mrs. Charles Donovan, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil W. Keene this week, returned to their home in St. Joseph Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graves, who recently sold their farm, northwest of Maryville, are moving today to the Frazee cottage, at the corner of Ninth and Mulberry streets.

THE EXPERT FARMER

WM. HIRTH PREDICTS HIS ADVENT IN A FEW YEARS.

WOULD MEAN BIG PROFIT

Says Manufacturing Concerns Employ Experts With Profit and That Farmers Would Adopt Method.

William R. Hirth, president of the Federation of Missouri Commercial clubs and publisher of two papers at Columbia, Mo., in an address at King City Wednesday night, outlined the benefits to be derived from a new adjunct to the farm in the nature of an expert adviser to the farmer, which Mr. Hirth thinks is sure to come in the course of a few years:

"It has been only a few years," he said, "since the so-called 'book farming' was a matter of derision in the average rural community. Now, however, this is no longer true. The farmer is seeing the light, and everywhere the agricultural colleges are leading the fight for improved methods in raising crops and handling and breeding live stock. In this connection I will make this prediction: That within less than five years groups of farmers all over the corn belt states will band together and hire an agricultural college expert and put him in charge of their farming operations in an advisory capacity.

"Why, for instance, should not a hundred farmers whose farms are located in close proximity to each other put up \$25 each and hire a high class scientific agricultural man who will put in the whole year going from one farm to the other advising each one of the hundred how to deal most intelligently and effectively with all their various farm problems? He would see to it that they selected the right kind of seed; that the seed beds for their various crops were properly prepared, advising them how to best adjust their methods of cultivation to the character of the season, etc. He would help the farmer plan a suitable crop rotation with the idea of building in the fertility of his soil as well as instruct him in the breeding and feeding of all kinds of live stock and other farm problems.

"That every one of the hundred farmers would get his \$25 back many times over during the year, there is not the slightest doubt. In the meantime, it would mean a salary of \$2,500 for the man so employed and lots of able agricultural college instructors are not getting this large a salary today. Once this common sense system gets a foothold the agricultural colleges will not be able to turn out men fast enough to fill the positions. It also opens a mighty interesting field of work for hundreds of bright, ambitious farmer boys whose practical experience would make them ideally suited for positions of this kind.

"Systems somewhat similar have been practiced in some of the old world nations. The manufacturer employs his highly paid chemists and other experts. Why should not the farmer adopt the same policy? The time is here when we must 'carry the message of better farming to Garcia'—when we must take the information which our agricultural colleges have gathered together through years of experimenting to the farmer's very door. It is one thing to try to convert him by means of bulletins—but a vastly and more effective thing to have some competent man say to him face to face, 'Now let's do this thing this way and that thing that way.'"

Joins Son at Lippman Farm.

Mrs. Lizette Lippman and daughter, Mrs. Flora Lippman, are moving today to the Adolph Lippman farm, four miles southeast of Maryville, which their son and brother, Mr. Roy Lippman, has had charge of for over two years. The Lippman residence in town is occupied by Prof. E. L. Harrington, a member of the Normal faculty, and family.

County Examinations.

Superintendent W. M. Oakeson is conducting county examination at the Normal today. There are 120 teachers writing, ninety-eight of whom are from Nodaway county. The examination will be held in the Business college Saturday.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and slightly warmer; Saturday unsettled weather with rising temperature.

Special

Box papers, 48 sheets writing paper and 48 envelopes, extra quality, 25c, for a few days only.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—4,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 500.
Hogs—35,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.45. Estimate tomorrow, 23,000.
Sheep—1,000. Market strong.
KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—2,500. Market steady.
Hogs—6,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.35.
Sheep—3,000. Market strong.
ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—3,000. Market steady.
Hogs—8,500. Market 5c lower; top, \$6.35.
Sheep—8,000. Market weak.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.
National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 29.—Cattle receipts, 3,500. Activity of minus quantity today. Steers steady to 10c lower; cows and heifers 10 to 15c lower.
Hog receipts, 9,000. A general 10c decline featured today. We hit the top with a \$6.60 sale. Bulk of the good hogs, \$6.35 to \$6.55. Pigs irregular at a 10c to 25c decline.
Sheep receipts, 2,500. Steady prices ruled. Colorado lambs at \$6.70. No good westerns here. Best ewes at \$4.20.

ST. PATRICK'S MARKET.
The ladies of St. Patrick's church will hold a market Saturday at Hudson & Welch's hardware store. Proceeds go to benefit of St. Patrick's school.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

WAS A BRILLIANT GAME.

But Tarkio Defeated Normal Five by a Score of 53 to 30 Thursday Night.

With three regulars out of the lineup, Coach Moore's Normal basketball team played a brilliant game against Tarkio college at the Normal gymnasium last night in the last game of the locals' season. And sad, but nevertheless true, Normal lost. But it is certainly no disgrace to lose to a team like Tarkio, and the 53-30 score doesn't begin to indicate the closeness of the battle. In fact, the locals were in the lead for a short time. In the initial quarter they tied the score up at 26 all. Every man on the Normal squad played a stellar game, and although McGrew's opponent shot eleven field goals it was no discredit to Mac, for the Tarkio forward stood head and shoulders above our Irish guard, Daise, who played his first game for the green and white, lead in the scoring of points. He garnered seven goals from the field. Nixon played an excellent game at center for the locals, and held the famed Tarkio center to one lone field goal. The husky visitors out-weighted the teachers ten points to the man, but the home boys played the collegiate rules like veterans.

For Tarkio, their big forward, Russell Gowdy, was the main strength. That young giant scored eleven field goals, and instead of boosting the ball into the basket he was forced to bend over to drop it in. Kirk, at guard, also played a whirlwind game, scoring five field goals.

A good sized crowd witnessed the game and displayed more enthusiasm than at any game this season, thanks to the efforts of Mr. Eek, who led the yells. The line-up:

Tarkio—Gowdy and Baird, forwards; Peterson, center; Kirk and Osterstram, guards.

Normal—Vandersloot and Daise, forwards; Nixon, center; Taylor and McGrew, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Gowdy 11, Baird 4, Peterson, Kirk 5, Osterstram 2, Vandersloot 2, Daise 7, Nixon, Taylor, McGrew. Free throws, Gowdy 6, Baird, Vandersloot 4.

Referee, Elder, Tarkio. Umpire, Moore, Maryville.

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PLEASED WITH NEW FEATURE.

Concerts at Field-Lippman Store Arouse Much Interest and Draw Big Crowds.

Mr. W. A. Lippman, general manager and treasurer of the Field-Lippman company of St. Louis, arrived in Maryville this morning via the Wabash to inspect the local store. Under the new management of Mr. Hancock the local store has been making good strides. Mr. Lippman states the board of management of the company in St. Louis is very well pleased with the way in which Mr. Hancock has conducted affairs here. Mr. Hancock has started the operation of a new plan of advertising and selling player pianos and Victor talking machines. Concerts are given by Mr. Hancock and Mr. Walker in the hotels in various towns in Northwest Missouri, the people of the vicinity being invited by letter to attend the concerts. The plan has met with splendid success, and at Mulholland over seventy-five people attended the concerts, and many of them expressed a deep interest in the musical instruments shown.

This work advertises Maryville as well as the Field-Lippman company, and already this city is becoming known as the home of the liveliest music house in Northwest Missouri. What advertises Maryville benefits the whole town.

Last Saturday the Field-Lippman house as announced in the advertising columns of The Democrat-Forum, gave the first player piano and Victor concert to be held in its Maryville store. A splendid attendance was registered at this concert, and Mr. Lippman announces that the company intends to continue this plan of Saturday afternoon recitals, and later on it is the intention of the house to include Maryville in a plan of large scope along the same lines, at which time evening concerts will be given by concert artists of reputation from St. Louis and elsewhere. At these evening concerts the Kranich-Bach and Behning player pianos will be used, and the new Field-Lippman concert grand piano will be introduced. The plans for these concerts are now under way, and the entire chain of stores owned by the Field-Lippman house will be included.

From here Mr. Lippman intends to go to St. Joseph, where the house has plans for future development, and from there Mr. Lippman will go to St. Louis, his home. His stay in St. Louis will be short, however, as he leaves there Tuesday night for Florida to spend a week or two with his wife and children, who have been there for some time.

For Bride-Elect.

Mrs. Henry Wilson, colored, entertained a few friends Thursday afternoon at her home, on West Fifth street, in compliment to Miss Aldie Arnold, a bride-elect. Little Christina Johnson received the guests as they arrived, and Mrs. John T. Redmond and Mrs. Oliver Page served tea. Dominoes and lotto were played, the games being followed by a two-course luncheon. The guests, who were handsomely gowned, gave a miscellaneous shower of silver, linen and cut glass to Miss Arnold. Miss Savannah Smith of Kansas City was presented the bride-elect's bouquet.

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Taken to Hospital.

Mrs. J. P. Cummings left Friday noon for her home in Ottumwa, Ia., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Romasser. Mrs. Romasser, who has been ill for some time, was taken Wednesday to St. Francis hospital, where she will remain during her convalescence.

Son Appointed Administrator.

Osmond Mosby was appointed Friday administrator of the estate of his father Andrew Mosby, of Hopkins, who died February 16th. Mrs. Bertha Mosby, the widow, and Osmond Mosby, the son, were the only heirs. There was no will.

MARKET
SATURDAY

St. Patrick ladies will hold a market tomorrow at the Hudson & Welch hardware store.

Good things for your Sunday dinner.

Benefit St. Patrick's School

DEMENTED THROUGH WORRY.

Clyde Man in St. Joe to Meet Body of Brother on Train That Was Snowbound.

The St. Joseph Gazette had the following in its Friday issue:
After trying to rid himself of all his clothing at Fifth and Edmond streets, Samuel Allen, a farmer of Clyde, Mo., was arrested last night by Patrolman Boyle and a charge of drunkenness was placed against him at police headquarters. It is the opinion of the police that the man was partly demented as the result of loss of sleep.

It is said that Allen arrived in the city Sunday night, intending to meet a Great Western train on which was the body of a brother who had died of tuberculosis in New Mexico. It is said the train Allen was expecting to meet had been snowbound since Sunday night and only resumed its trip at a late hour last night. A telegram found in Allen's pocket at the police station stated that the body of Allen's brother would arrive tonight.

Union station employees say that Allen has been worrying a great deal over the fact that the train was delayed.

When he was discovered by Patrolman Boyle, Allen had his shoes, stockings and coat off, and was preparing to remove his trousers.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Only One More Regular Meeting for the Present Council—Bills Will Be Allowed.

The city council will meet in regular session tonight. No business of importance is scheduled to be taken up outside the routine work of allowing monthly bills, unless the ordinances reducing the salary of the mayor and consolidating the offices of collector and marshal are brought on. A good deal of opposition to these measures developed at the meeting at which they were talked over, and it is likely they will be dropped. The present council will have one more regular meeting after this one, the 2nd of April.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

Called to Oklahoma City.

Mrs. L. Michau and daughter, Mrs. E. L. Townsend left Thursday afternoon for Oklahoma City, Okla., where they were called by the death of an infant son, born to their daughter and sister Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Jr., and Mr. Shoemaker, Thursday morning.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

New Trimmer Here.

Miss Theresa Goodwin of St. Louis will have charge of the millinery department at the Alderman Dry Goods Co. the coming season. Miss Monahan, also of St. Louis, arrived a few days ago and will be the head trimmer.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

Episcopal Church Services.

Services will be conducted at St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday by Bishop Sidney C. Partridge of Kansas City and Archdeacon Johnson, at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to spend the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Roberts. Mrs. Shoemaker intends going from there to Kansas City to visit her sister, Mrs. D. E. Boyd.

FOUND—Between Nodaway Valley bank and Alderman's, a bill. Owner may have same at this office. 1-4

Census Statistics.

The relative increase in population is not as great as it was a century or two ago for obvious reasons. According to records of 1816 the estimated population of the United States in 1810 was 7,000,000. Statisticians of that day figured that the population would double every 23 years, but such has not been the case. Had the increase fulfilled that prediction the country would have had a population of 112,000,000 ten years ago.

These pioneer statisticians of 1816 estimated that in 1880 the country should have a population of more than 66,000,000. The official census for that year, however, put the figures at 50,155,783. The estimate for 1902—112,000,000—was also far afield, the official census of two years earlier showing a population of only 76,363,000.

Great Cleverness.

"Would you call Bliggins a clever man?"
"Certainly," replied Miss Cayenne. "He is not intellectual, but he is wonderfully clever in concealing the fact from strangers."

ATTORNEYS HEAR BEVERIDGE

MAKES INTERESTING ADDRESS BEFORE BAR ASSOCIATION.

"Conflict of Constitution With Theory of Party Government" His Subject in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—Albert J. Beveridge, former United States Senator from Indiana, delivered an interesting address before the Kansas City Bar Association last night on the "Conflict of the Constitution with the Theory of Party Government."

The speaker stated that the question, as to whether it should be the party or the constitution, vexed all informed minds and must be answered, for out of this fight between our fundamental law and the necessity for political parties comes many of



ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE.

our practical troubles. He further stated that compromises of the constitution have caused the American people nearly all their troubles, chief of which was the worst war in the history of the world, and that the present unrest among our people is due to the fact that our constitution makes party government practically impossible.

As a remedy for existing conditions, Mr. Beveridge suggested that certain men be publicly named by the president to represent the various branches of the administration in the House and Senate who would have charge in a definite way of all administration measures and be definitely responsible for all acts of the former senator further said that "he felt this method not as the best or even as a good way out of our governmental wilderness, but merely to stimulate thought and suggestion. For some way out of the dismal swamp of our present governmental condition must be found. The necessities of the people require it; and whatever the necessities of the people really require will be supplied. Nothing in human events is so certain as that."

"For the present nothing seems possible to lessen the conflict between the constitution and the theory of party government except for the citizen to vote for party men, but to see to it that such party men are fearless, able and pure public servants."

"At least one thing is clear, even now, both from the point of view of securing party government as such and protecting the people from the spoilsman. That thing is for all men of all parties to make unceasing war against the political boss or politician-manager who manipulates and controls party organizations. For these men too often are merely the hirelings of those who gather unjust wealth by interfering with the people's laws."

Longers Delay on Record.

Topeka, Mar. 1.—After over four days of continuous snow fighting the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroads have opened their main lines and by night the trains will be running fairly close to schedule. Since midnight Saturday both lines have been blocked completely and counting the hours they were closed, just five days, the longest period any Kansas railroad has ever had its main lines completely closed by snow.

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Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

Here From Chicago

Edward B. McMillan, who is in the drug business at Chicago, spent Friday in Maryville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMillan of West Third street.

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ASTHMA REMEDY

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\$10 a month and worth it.
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GIVE him good substantial food, but see that it tastes good and is easily digested. Oatmeal with its big load of starch often ferments in the stomach. Corn and wheat lack elements which the healthy child must have. The perfect food made from the perfect grain is

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Rye supplies the need of growing bone and muscle. Cream of Rye, in soft flakes made from the whole rye berry, is four times as nourishing as rolled wheat or corn flakes. Comes to the table freshly cooked as modern science advises. Cream of Rye is the most delicious breakfast dish you can serve—not only for babies, but for the entire family. Tastes good and helps keep the stomach sweet and the digestive tract clean. Makes fine bread, muffins, and fritters. Next time you order groceries get a package of Cream of Rye.

Free Spoon Right in the Package
Look for the beautiful rye pattern silver plated teaspoon packed with Cream of Rye. This handsome spoon would itself cost you more than price of the package. Exchangeable for other pieces of silverware if desired.

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Paraphrase by Liszt.
That's What the Rose Said to Me..... Edwards
Last Rose of Summer..... Ascher
Paraphrase of Concert.
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Cupid's Dream, Intermezzo..... Dabney
La Gazelle, Polka de Salon..... Wollenhaupt
Pink Lady—My Beautiful Lady..... Caryll
Red Roses, Waltz..... Lehar
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Vic Murdock's Negro Story.

Representative Victor Murdock, a seeming past master of the negro dialect, despite the fact that he is not a southern colonel, but a middle western politician, told a negro yarn at the annual dinner of the Union League club the other night that brought forth storms of laughter.

"There was once an old negro preacher," he said, "who prepared his sermons most carefully. One of them he prepared with more than ordinary care, wrote it, committed it to memory, forgot it, and then relearned it. Finally came the time when he must deliver it. He solemnly rose in the pulpit, and stretching his arms outward, as if he would personally embrace every member of his audience—fat mammals and all—and said:

"Brethren an' sisters, I am about to deliver to yo' the greatest sermon of the ages. I am about to define the undefinable, explain the unexplainable, and unscrew the unscrewable."

—Brooklyn Eagle.

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Tempo di Marcia.

ease, see, Juic - y rac - coons wait-in' up... in de trees, 'sim - mon trees,
Built to show jes' how con - tent - ed er poor "shine" kin be,

Lan' o mel - lons so sweet en red, Whar de bright morn-in' glori - ous spread, Lak um - brell - as
Built to furn - ish him wid de bes' Built to fix him so dat he'll jes', Set right down en

er yer head, An' de pos - sum lafs fun de trees, Aint no fros' ner win - ter weath - er en
take his res' - En no mo' be trou - bled in min', Fixed so he'll for - get his col - or his

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No. 20.

Se - sons al - ways breez - y Ap' - rul en dat's... all dey
Na - ry res' - less white man won - der - in' whar... is his

is, place, Ev - er thing - I'll suit yer so, Dat's a - bout all yer'll want to know, It's all at yo' eem -
Noth - in' tall but darkies an', Trou - ble ne'er will trou - ble de lan', Hon - ey yo' bet - ter

Chorus.

mand, come, down in Ban - dan - na Lan'... In Ban - dan - na Lan' 'tis there we'll take our stan',
en make yo' - self er home...

Birds jes' seem to greet yo wid mu - sic sweet, Flow - ers rich and rare, sho' do

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If you are subject to frequent colds, or if you have any of the distressing symptoms of catarrh, such as stuffed up feeling in the head, profuse discharge from the nose, sores in the nose, phlegm in the throat causing hawking and spitting, dull pain in the head or ringing in the ears, just anoint the nostrils or rub the throat or chest with a little Ely's Cream Balm, and see how quickly you will get relief.

In a few minutes you will feel your head clearing, and after using the Balm for a day or so the nasty discharge will be checked, the pain, soreness and fever gone, and you will no longer be offensive to yourself and your friends by constantly hawking, spitting and blowing.

Shake off the grip of catarrh before it impairs your sense of taste, smell and hearing and poisons your whole system. In a short time you can be completely cured of this distressing disease by using Ely's Cream Balm. This healing, antiseptic Balm does not fool you by short, deceptive relief, but completely overcomes the disease. It clears the nose, head and throat of all the rank poison, soothes, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membrane, making you proof against colds and catarrh.

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Sylvester Moore of Kansas City is visiting his father, John Moore, at the Ream hotel for a few days.

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PLAN NORTH MISSOURI ROAD

MEETING AT BROOKFIELD TO BOOST STATE HIGHWAY.

Executive Committee and Officers Elected—Commercial Club Dines Visitors.

Brookfield, Mo., Mar. 1.—A meeting to boost the plan for a state highway across North Missouri from Hannibal to St. Joseph, 208 miles, through the counties of Marion, Monroe, Shelby, Macon, Linn, Livingston, Caldwell, DeKalb, Davis and Buchanan, was held here. About 150 delegates were present.

Curtis Hill, the state highway engineer, was present and made the chief address. There were several county engineers present, as well as county judges. The meeting was called by S. J. Roy, secretary of the Hannibal Commercial club, and Brookfield being about the halfway point across the state, the convention was called here.

Resolutions were adopted and an executive committee appointed with a member from each county. Officers were elected with Frank Adams of Chillicothe president; M. L. Stallard, St. Joseph, vice-president, and S. J. Roy, Hannibal, secretary-treasurer. Much enthusiasm was manifested over the proposed project. After the afternoon session a dinner was given in honor of the visitors at the Elliott hotel by the Commercial club, with C. W. Green, president of the club, presiding.

TWO WRECKS INJURE SEVENTEEN

Three Cars Turn Turtle on Illinois Traction System—Every Passenger Injured.

St. Louis, Mar. 1.—Fourteen passengers were injured when a sleeper train of three cars on the Illinois Traction system was derailed and turned over in a ditch at Benld, Ill., 56 miles northeast of St. Louis.

A report from the company's division headquarters at Stanton, Ill., was that every passenger on the train, among them several women, were cut and bruised when the cars turned turtle.

Davenport, Ia., Mar. 1.—Three Pullman coaches of train No. 6 on the Rock Island left the track near Atkinson, Ill., early in the morning and tumbled over into a ditch.

The passengers crawled out through windows of the coaches and another passenger train, following, picked them up and took them to Chicago.

Schildknecht's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

JOHN BARRETT.



The director general of the Pan-American union warned the business men of New England that they must take actual steps to prepare for the opening of the Panama canal to traffic or they would suffer disappointment and loss.

PIMPLES AND BLACK-HEADS DISAPPEAR

When Zemo and Zemo Soap Are Used.

For 25c you can test the healing and cleansing powers of Zemo and Zemo Soap. We offer a trial treatment consisting of a generous size bottle of Zemo, a trial cake of Zemo Soap and a 32-page booklet, "How to Preserve the Skin"—all for 25c. This offer is made to introduce Zemo into every home in this community. We are confident that after you have once used Zemo and Zemo Soap you, like all others who have tested this treatment, will say that Zemo and Zemo Soap are without doubt the best treatment for prompt relief and sure cure of all forms of skin and scalp diseases. Blisters, Pimples, Skin Spots, in fact, all facial blemishes on infants or adults disappear as if by magic when these clean, effective remedies are used. We want you to test the trial treatment of Zemo at 25c—we know you'll thank us many times for this advice. Love & Gaugh's drug store.

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DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back the Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea" which our grandparents used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

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Ditch to Be Filled.

A movement is on foot to fill and fill in the big ditch running through the center of Hopkins, says the Journal. It is proposed to begin the work just west of Grandma Martin's residence and run to the Alf Owens residence in North Hopkins.

A meeting of the property owners touched by the ditch and the city dads will be held soon to talk the matter over. It means considerable expense as the ditch is not less than five feet across must be used, to say nothing of the cost of putting in the dirt. One property owner says he has a hundred dollars to contribute if the work is done. It would help the appearance of the town wonderfully and the city will likely decide to contribute its share to pay for the work.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

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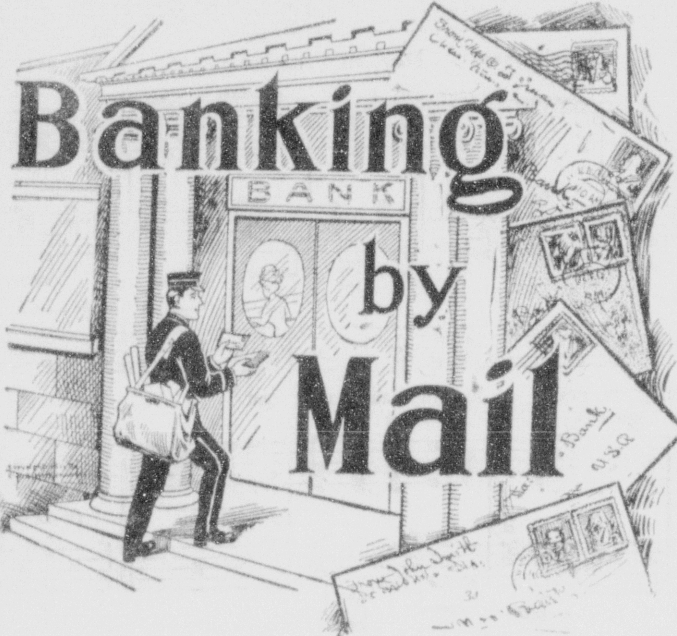
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C. W. Shinabargar**SOLDIERS SET
FIRE TO PEKIN**

Chinese Troops Mutiny and Are Beyond Control.

OTHER NATIONS MAY INTERVENE

German and American Soldiers Seize Pagodas to Help Protect Their Quarters—Foreigners Safe So Far.

Pekin, Mar. 1.—This city is now in grave peril. The soldiers are out of hand and the authorities have lost all control.

Great fires are burning in all directions and the greater part of the Tartar City has been destroyed. All foreigners are safe in the legation compounds.

For some unknown reason, probably, however, because they had not been paid, the soldiers mutinied and started fighting at 8 o'clock p. m. That was followed by rioting and looting and then the torch was applied. Fires broke out in all directions and soon the Tartar City was a mass of flames. The occupation of Pekin by international forces is believed necessary.

Many Are Killed.

Many persons were killed, but all the foreigners got out of danger in time. The legation guards gallantly sallied out into the disturbed zone and rescued all foreigners residing there. These were brought in to the legation compounds. The American legation first learned of the outbreak when a spent 3-inch shell fell within the yard of the compound. Later on a rifle bullet struck the wall right above where Minister Calhoun was standing.

There has been great devastation all through the capital, but it is impossible to obtain any details, as no foreigners dare venture outside the legations. Much foreign property has been burned and fires are still raging in all directions. The firing, however, has practically stopped.

One report has it that the troops attacked President Yuan Shi Kai. The soldiers also attacked the rebel delegates from Nankin. Nothing is known as to what happened to them.

Grave Crisis.

The situation brings on a grave crisis and perhaps signifies the failure of the new government. The authorities are absolutely powerless. Foreign re-enforcements are on the way to assist those already at the legations which are safe for the present.

The mutineers are now leaving the city with their horses laden with plunder. The day was an orgy of violence. The soldiers armed with rifles and bayonets started by burning their barracks. They then ransacked the shops.

Territory of more than a mile in area has been burned.

Much reckless shooting has occurred. One shell, which fell into the compound of the American legation, tore through the tent of one of the soldiers of the recently arrived re-enforcement.

Americans Exposed.

The American is the most exposed legation, lying outside the main quadrangle of the quarter. The American end of Legation street is the only enclosed section.

The American minister, Mr. Calhoun, and Maj. Russell at a late hour consulted with the American missions by telephone. All expressed their preference not to leave their own compound.

American soldiers have taken possession of the Chien-Men pagoda and Germans have occupied the Hsiao Men pagoda without opposition from the Chinese soldiers. These pagodas overlook the legations and their possession was considered strategically necessary.

PRISONERS MUTINY AT MONTEREY

Three Thousand Men Confined in Institution—Thirty-Six were Killed.

Laredo, Tex., Mar. 1.—Eleven persons, six of them convicts, were killed in the revolt in the penitentiary at Monterey, Mexico, according to incoming passengers. These passengers said that 25 other convicts regarded as ringleaders, were shot at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

There were about 3,000 prisoners in the institution. Early reports said the warden of the penitentiary was among the slain.

Miles of Good Roads.

Ablene, Kan., Mar. 1.—One hundred miles of country roads, serving all parts of Dickinson county, were ordered by the county commissioners and township trustees at a largely attended good roads meeting here. The state highway engineer, W. S. Gearhart, made an address. Plans for improvement of the roads will be prepared by engineers.

Lost Man Returns.

Muskogee, Ok., Mar. 1.—W. D. Case, a contractor living here, who mysteriously disappeared last August, has just returned. He states that his mind has been a blank ever since he left Muskogee, and that when he came to himself he was sitting on a wharf in New Orleans.

**AMERICAN MINERS
MAY STRIKE NEXT**

Situation in England Expected to Influence Men in Iowa Field.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT HELPING

Premier Asquith Issues Ultimatum to Mine Owners—Situation is Serious—Some Are Already Weakening.

London, Mar. 1.—The settlement of the coal strike is yet far off. The government has not been able to induce all the coal owners to agree to the demand for a minimum wage made by the miners, but Premier Asquith has declared that:

"The government having recognized the principle of a minimum wage for all underground workers, if it is not secured by agreement, it will be secured by the government by other means." This is virtually an ultimatum to the coal owners.

Already 800,000 Are Out.

Emphasizing the point again, Asquith said the government is determined that the minimum wage shall become part and parcel of the organization and working of the coal industry by whatever appropriate means the government can command. Fully 800,000 miners have already laid down their tools. The men have the government behind them and feel that victory has been won.

Some of the railways have sent out notifications of curtailment of their services owing to the strike.

Some Are Weakening.

The government feels it is face to face with a warfare between capital and labor in the coal industry, which might paralyze all other industries in the country. The government had started investigation of the problem, the premier said in the conference, without any prejudice of party or class bias.

That the government made some progress toward rendering the strike of short duration is shown by the fact, disclosed by the official statement, that the Northumberland coal owners, who were among those who rejected the government's proposals, have been persuaded to agree to the first two clauses of these proposals.

Expect Trouble in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Mar. 1.—The walk-out of English miners is expected to be followed shortly by a strike of several hundred thousand American miners, including the 20,000 men employed in the Iowa field, according to Thomas Ray, president of an Iowa mining company. The wage scale agreement expiring April 1 will be taken up at the meeting of the miners of Iowa March 14.

"We expect the greatest strike we have ever had in the coal fields," Ray said. "It looks as though the miners will be a unit in walking out on the expiration of their agreement, and we are looking for a prolonged suspension of work in the Iowa fields."

Springfield Has \$50,000 Fire.

Springfield, Mo., Mar. 1.—The stocks of two of Springfield's largest dry goods stores were damaged to the extent of \$50,000 by fire which broke out on the third floor of the Fashion store. The flames spread to the Model store adjoining, causing a loss there of \$35,000. The Fashion, owned by Charles M. Levy, has been open for business only two weeks. The Model store is owned by Moses Levy.

Dawson's Primary Plan.

Topeka, Kan., Mar. 1.—John Dawson, attorney general, has sent to J. N. Dolley, chairman of the Republican state central committee, a draft of a new proposed presidential primary plan. Mr. Dawson would have primaries in every precinct in the state and the voters would select the delegates to the county conventions and express their choice for president only.

SUGAR SUBSTITUTE IS BARRED

Decision of Board of Cabinet Officers Prohibits Use of Saccharine in Food Products.

Washington, Mar. 1.—By a vote of two to one the board of cabinet officers charged with the enforcement of the pure food law entered a final decision against the use of saccharine in prepared foods. Secretary Wilson and Secretary Nagel confirmed the decision that food containing saccharine was adulterated. Secretary MacVeagh dissented. One month will be given manufacturers to arrange for the elimination of saccharine. The decision settles a controversy of nearly four years' standing.

Sample Pills Dangerous.

Newton, Kan., Mar. 1.—Several children in Newton were made very ill recently by eating sample pills or tablets thrown on porches and in the yards by a patent medicine firm. The city commissioners have passed an ordinance prohibiting the free distribution of samples of drugs, medicines or any article intended for food that might be eaten or swallowed and thereby causing sickness.

Schildkret's Hungarian orchestra Monday night.

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Scalp and Hair Troubles Generally Caused by Carelessness.

Dandruff is a contagious disease caused by a microbe which also produces baldness. Never use a comb or brush belonging to some one else. No matter how cleanly the owner may be, these articles may be infected with microbes, which will infect your scalp. It is far easier to catch hair microbes than it is to get rid of them, and a single stroke of an infected comb or brush may well lead to baldness. Never try on anybody else's hat. Many a hat-band is a resting place for microbes.

If you happen to be troubled with dandruff, itching scalp, falling hair or baldness, we have a remedy which we believe will completely relieve these troubles. We are so sure of this that we offer it to you with the understanding that it will cost you nothing for the trial if it does not produce the results we claim. This remedy is called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. We honestly believe it to be the most scientific remedy for scalp and hair troubles, and we know of nothing else that equals it for effectiveness, because of the results it has produced in thousands of cases.

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Miss Nora Neal and Miss Mary LeGrand, students at the Normal, returned to their homes, near Pickering, Thursday to spend several days.

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